



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

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Eriksen, et al.

Application No.: 10/087,302

Examiner: N. Natnithithadha

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For: VOLUMETRIC PHYSIOLOGICAL MEASURING SYSTEM AND METHOD

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD FOR RESPONSE
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time of three (3) months (from September 15, 2004 to December 15, 2004) within which to respond to the Office Action dated June 15, 2004 is requested. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$510 to cover the extension fee. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 06-1910 any underpayments, overpayments or additionally required fees.

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